



1647

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Yuping, Xia, et al.
U.S. Serial No.: 09/773,877
Filing Date: January 31, 2001
Title: Methods of Treating Inflammatory Skin Diseases
Docket. No. REG 710B

Examiner: R. S. Landsman
Group Art Unit: 1647

14/a
M.G.J.
6/19/03

Certificate of First Class Mailing

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited on this date with the U. S. Postal Service as first class mail addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Linda O. Palladino
Linda O. Palladino

June 6, 2003
Date

June 6, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED
JUN 11 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

AMENDMENT

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office action issued December 19, 2002, in the above-referenced case. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.